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Inventor: Peter CAUSEMANN

For: Suspension Strut Unit With Height-Adjustable Spring Collar

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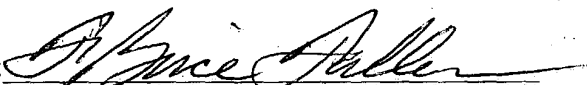
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[x] Priority is claimed for this invention and application, corresponding applications having been filed in **Germany** on **June 21, 2002**, No. **102 27 713.3**.

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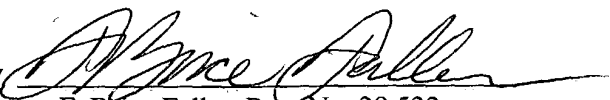
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